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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of

Docket No: Q65269

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Appln. No.: 09/894,123

Group Art Unit: 2823

Confirmation No.: 5729

Examiner: William D. Coleman

Filed: June 29, 2001

For: SEMICONDUCTOR PACKAGE BOARD USING A METAL BASE

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

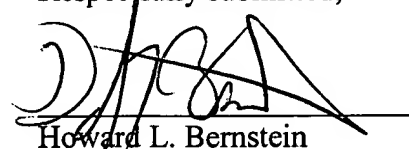
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 18, 2002 in which the Examiner has required a restriction, Applicant responds by electing Group I, *i.e.*, claims 1-17, drawn to a semiconductor device package. This election is made without prejudice to the filing of a divisional application directed to the non-elected claims.

Prompt and favorable action on the elected claims is now respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,


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